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GENERAL RUSSELL A. ALGER SAYS this is a Republican year, and we don't much care who the Democrata put up for sacrifice. Cynical, but

Washington to argue for the completion of the survey of the Ouachita delegation will have to go to Washto Congress that Upper White River deserves a little attention.

THE Republicans are doing everything in their power to bring the tariff bill safely out of the Senate and are working most earnestly to secure its final passage. It is not such a bill as they desire in the way of a tariff measure, but is solely temporary expedient which they consider likely to give the relief asked for by a Democratic President. The Republicans. However, are just a carnest in their sudeavor to pass it as though it were the ideal tariff bill.

hobe who led a division of the "In- opponents are already making capi-Coxey was king, organized a new Perhaps he does not make any Kelly's standard. They renounced things have happened. It may wel

THE Committee on Immigration and Naturalization appointed by the House of Representatives in December, met in New York city last Friday for the first time since its organizaton. Representative Bartholdt, of St. Louis, 10 chairman. The committee will hear testimony from representative shipping men as to the best means of regulating immigration, and report the result of the investigation to the House, possibly in the form of a bill. Of the 279,000 immigrants who came to this country last year about 42,000 could neither read nor write. Such immigration should be checked.

THE Mississippi Senate adopted resolutions last week in favor of free and unlimited coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1, and then resolved, "that it is the sense of the Senate of Mississippi that States which habitually vote in the electoral college against the nominces of the Democratic party should not shape the policies of the party nor dictate its nominees." This is notice to the Northeastern States that their financial views are no louger acceptable to the South, and also that candidates of the Cleveland stripe will not be tolerated. Our Democratic brethren are preparing for a glorious time at the Chicago convention.

numbering over 500 members, Republican prosperity as seen as pos- rich promise of stirring news the 12.25 p. m. arrive. adopted strong resolutions favoring sible. The leading financial question greatest metropolitan newspaper in the nomination of McKinley for just now is how to get some money of four-fifths of the Republican voters ever found that did not prove to be a of the United States, and that the mockery, a delusion and a snare. only strennous opposition to him comes from the jealousies and rival ambitions of lesser men. Mr. Morton is a nice old gentleman and a good Republican, but he and his been are not taken seriously in the

black, Ben U. Massey, of Springfield, British Empire will make strenuous and a number of other prominent efforts to control it, as in the case of the Toledo Blade and the Suez Canal. To torestall such an the Taney County Republican for Louis next Saturday. Their circular cetablish a naval station there. I probably the best weekly newspaper says: "The conference will be com-should not be surprised to see Great in the United States and the Repubposed of representative party men from every section of the State, and its object is to decide upon and promulgate a declaration of belief and a line of action for those Democrats of the Higgsgus Canal. The Vene-

e thereof, nor be deprived are no pros of the right of expressing their con- United States and England over the rictions." Mr. Francis says that all Venesuels controversy, but the day Democrats who are opposed to the may come when war will be unavoid-16 to 1 platform will be urged to organize in their respective localities, and to protest, by the casting of their ballots, if in no other way, against committing the Democracy of Missouri to the free silver doctrine. The Francis men will make a contest for delegates to the National Convention. At a meeting of the sound money men held in St. Louis on February 7 it was decided that a fight was neceseary for the salvation of the Democratic party in Missouri. If the Republicans in this State cultivate burmony for the next few months, they are sure of success in November. divided Democracy is now a certainty, and that means Republican victory in Missouri as well as in the nation at large. It is to be hoped Ar Arkanese delegation went to that the Republicans will nominate their candidate for Governor without too much friction and acerbity, so River. A Missouri and Arkansas that the party will go into the campaign in a happy frame of mind and ington some of these days and explain with the single idea of carrying the State in a way that will not be forgotten for a quarter of a century.

Some of Speaker Reed's political

rivals, who think that his strength as Presidential candidate is much to be dreaded, are investigating his religious opinions. They profess to fear that he is not orthodox. In early life he was, like thousands of New Englanders, a Unitarian. That was the creed of Channing, Theodore Parker, Longfellow, Oliver Wendell Holmes, and of scores of others equally distinguished. Mr. Reed has at times been described as an agnos-"GENERAL" KELLY, the famous tic, of late years, and his political custrial Army" in the days when tal out of his reported agnosticism. national party at Omaha recently. parade of his religion, and is hated Two hundred laboring men joined and slandered by those who do. Such any and all political affiliation with be that Mr. Reed contents himself the Republicans, Democrats and with the religion of good works, and Populists. A State and national or- is more of a Republican than a theoganization is to be pushed at once. logian. He may possibly have paid General Kelly will live without labor greater attention to the lives and the next President of the United or care during the blessed days of speeches of Webster, Clay and Lin- States is too patent to be denied by coln than to the writings of Saint any practical politician. this is unfortunately true, Mr. Reed

GENERAL RUSSELL A. ALGER, OF Michigan, was in New York City last week, and said in an interview, "Although I favor McKinley, still think that Reed is perhaps the strongest man in the country today." The General said McKinley is by far the eign countries." General Alger was will be several exciting State elections right when he pointed out the im- and many great political speeches and employment. The great major- progress of the Venezuelan Commity of the people of this country have ission's inquiry, the results of the GOVERNOR MORTON'S little boom vote for candidates that represent a Turkey, and the outcome of other 9.55 a. m. for the Presidency got a hard blow sound industrial policy. Hard times complications now arising in the Old 10.55 in his own State last week. The Re- have become hateful to all poor men, publican league of Lockport, N. Y., and they have resolved to return to that at the begining of a year of such Fresident. The resolutions, after set- at a decent ratio of wages to work log forth the policies of the Republand of price to produce. Republican lican party, declared the belief of the protection to Americans and Americans and Americans. This low price now places maeting that McKinley is the choice can industries is the only solution

An officer high in rank and an with Great Britain?" He answered "Twice a Week" Republic-104 papers ExGovernor B. R. Enaucis. F. as follows: "We will surely have a year—for only \$1.00 a year. It w. Lehmann, Samuel M., Kennard, trouble with Great Britain it the contains the best of everything that Frederick N. Judson, Judge F. M. Nicaragua Canal is ever built. The appears in the daily. who favor "sound money." have attempt I should like to see this coun- one year for one dollar holds good ssued a call for a conference in St. try annex the Saudwich Islands and till the 1st of March. The Blade is who do not subscribe to the free, unlimited and independent coinage of
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ANDREW CARNEGIE, the great from founder, in speaking about the recent gold loan to a reporter for the New York Morning Advertiser, had this to say: "I do not share the exultant feeling that seems to be prevalent in so many quarters. It seems to me to be very little to be proud of that a republic as rich and great as ours should have to borrow a hundred million of dollars. That it should terests in Kansas, expecting to return have to borrow at all is a melancholy thing. That the richest nation in the work on his mine. world should run in debt in a time of peace is some hing which should cause all Americans to hang their heads. The effect of the loan can only be temporary, and we shall soon be in creek. the same position that we were before it took place. There never can be genuine prosperity until the finances of the country are put upon a sound basis." And, we may add, the finances of this country will not be put of sett.ing there. upon a sound basis until the Republican party returns to power. Fortunately, that happy event is not far of

THE St. Louis Republic says: Democrate in three or four Southern States are quarreling over whether they shall have one State Convention or two. Unless a stop is put to factional fights pretty soon there will be no necessity for holding a convention at all." The Republic is not if the factional fights were stopped conventions this year would still exist. In discussing Whitney and Morrison as candidates for the Presidency, the Republic further says: "The dissensions in Southern States give the single gold standard faction of the party a hope. Betwen the two extremes the Democractic party is in danger of being sacrificed. The outcome of prolonged proscription of square, Forsyth, Mo. will be the assurance that a Republican will be President of the United States." That a Republican will be

The little daughter of Mr. Fred should rather be pitied than scorned. Webber, Holland, Mase., had a very Perhaps he was born with a secular bad cold and cough which he had no mind, and finds it difficult to master been able to cure with any thing. the intricacies of a doctrinal cate- gave him a 25 cent bottle of Chamchism wherein the questions are hard berlain's Cough Remedy, says W. P. and the answers very obfusticating. Holden, merchant and postmaster at At all events, Mr. Reed is a free West Brimfield, and the next time ! American citizen, and is under no saw him he said it worked like s obligations to make an effort to unite charm. This remedy is intended espechurch and State in the Presidential cially for acute throat and lung diseages such as colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is famous for its cures. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains nothing injurious. For sele by F. V. Baldwin-

Events of the Coming Year. The coming year will be a period memorable in the history of the world strongest candidate all through the if but a part of the plans of the United West, although Reed has a good States Government and European many followers, even in Michigan. nations is carried out. In the United He added: "Protection will be an States there will be the livelies important issue in this campaign; not, presidential campaign ever held, perhaps, in the form of the McKinley and the Fifty-fourth Congress, now in bill, but in some form that will recog- session. Will furnish exceedingly internize the differences in labor and esting debates on the tariff and finanwages between this country and for- cial questions until June. There portance of the question of wages Everyone will watch with interest the to work for a living, and they will wars in Cuba, in South Africa, in World. It is a remarkable coincidence the United States-The St. Louis Republic-should reduce its price to \$6.00 a year, or to less than two cents The Republic within the reach everyone. Those who wish to keep posted on politics, trade,national and international affairs during 1896 should at once subscribe for it on these acknowledged expert in military easy terms, in addition to taking their engineering, who is stationed at Fort own local paper. Newspaper readers Wadsworth, which is the key to the who may think they cannot afford to defense of New York harbor, was take a metropolitan daily paper recently asked: "When will we fight should at least subscribe for the

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Oll Dening recently journeyed to Springfield for a load of goods. Ira Chine and wife visited in the

country Sunday. Born-February 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, a daughter, and

the good work still goes on. Elieba Gimlin, who has been prospecting here for mineral, has returned to look after his business inin the summer and further prosecute

A shindig at Higenbotham's re-

A protracted meeting is being held at the upper school house on the

Lorenzo Acton, who has been on the sick list for some time, is reported as improving.

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